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On July 11, 1962, the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) received a letter printed on the stationery of the Louise Pettibone Smith 75th Birthday Tribute dated June, 1962. This letter states, "The occasion will be used to launch a renewed effort for the defeat of the Mc Carran Internal Security Act.

~~Dr. EDWARD LORENE YOUNG,  
Boston, Massachusetts  
Member, National Health Committee~~

~~[ ]~~ on May 14, 1951, advised that on April 11, 1951, a group of people throughout the country had been solicited to sign an amicus curiae brief in connection with the liquidation proceedings then taking place against the IWO. The informant stated that as a result of this solicitation, two hundred signatures were obtained to this brief which in effect requested dismissal of the liquidation proceedings. Listed among the signers of the brief was Dr. EDWARD L. YOUNG, Brookline, Massachusetts.

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The "Daily Worker" issue of June 22, 1951, contained an article captioned "New Englanders Rap High Court Ruling on 11." According to the article, Dr. EDWARD L. YOUNG, Boston, was one of the signers of a letter to all Boston newspapers calling on all Americans to protest the recent Supreme Court decision upholding the "frame-up" conviction of the eleven Communist leaders under the Smith Act.

A name check of the indices and/or printed hearings of the HCUA and by SE CARL H. PETERSON on May 13, 1958, on the name EDWARD L. YOUNG reflected the following references:

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Letterheads of November 23, 1949, and October 14, 1950, reflect one EDWARD YOUNG, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, as a member, Board of Directors of the Physicians Forum, Incorporated.

Letterheads of July 28, 1950, and December 7, 1952, reflect one EDWARD L. YOUNG as a member, Board of Directors of the NCASP.

A letterhead of February 25, 1963, reflects one EDWARD L. YOUNG as an initial sponsor of the APC.

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CP Strategy

[redacted] on August 21, 1963, advised that on August 19, 1963, a meeting of the CP, USA - New York District Board was held in New York City. At this meeting, a report was made concerning CP activities in the Bronx area. It was reported that there are very few Negro members in the Bronx, a few CP members are active in mass groups with two members in the NAACP. It was pointed out that white people may join organizations such as the NAACP. Therefore, party members should join the NAACP and attempt to recruit CP members from the NAACP once they have become active in the NAACP. (C) (U)

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YSA Strategy

[redacted] on August 29, 1963, advised that a business meeting of YSA was held on August 21, 1963, at 125 Fourth Avenue, New York City. At this meeting, during a discussion on civil rights matters, about one-third of the members present were in favor of the *w*

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YSA going down South to infiltrate organizations like the NAACP. This group favored becoming active in the South before other revolutionary groups gained an advantage over the YSA. It was the feeling of this group that members of the YSA should be sent down South before it was too late. *Xm*

According to the informant, this group's attitude was the minority view. The majority favored aligning with the Muslims' view of a "black America for the Negroes" because eventually the Muslims will follow a revolutionary path. *U*

#### Finances

[redacted] on October 10, 1963, advised that on September 17, 1963, a meeting of the Executive officers of the Crown Heights Club of the ELFJWC was held in Brooklyn, New York. At the meeting, it was discussed that five per cent of the dues collected would be donated to civil rights, possibly to be given to the NAACP. *Xm*

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[redacted] on November 1, 1963, furnished information concerning the bank account of LOUISE R. BERMAN located at the Chemical Bank New York Trust Company, 20 Pine Street, New York City. A check dated September 23, 1963, payable to "Committee of 100," in the amount of \$250.00 and endorsed by the NAACP Legal Defense and Educational Fund, Incorporated, was drawn from the account of LOUISE R. BERMAN.

The informant no longer has custody of the basic document from which the above check information was obtained. *U*